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Walnut Hills Girls Golf Making History in Record-Setting Season

The Walnut Hills girls golf team is putting together a season for the history books.
With the OHSAA Tournament on the horizon, the Lady Eagles have established themselves as one of the Eastern Cincinnati Conference's top programs, capturing both the ECC Preseason and Postseason Tournament championships while suffering just one conference loss this season.

The historic run began in August when Walnut Hills claimed the ECC Preseason Tournament title, finishing six strokes ahead of runner-up Lebanon. The Lady Eagles carried that momentum throughout the regular season, compiling a 9-2 overall record that includes impressive program wins over Seton and Mount Notre Dame.

On September 10, Walnut Hills returned to the top of the leaderboard at the ECC Postseason Tournament—and did so in dominant fashion.

The Lady Eagles posted a team score of 312, finishing 18 strokes ahead of runner-up Anderson (330). The championship marked Walnut Hills' second ECC tournament title of the season and further established the Eagles as one of the conference's premier programs.

And the season isn't quite finished.

Due to schedule changes and rescheduling, Walnut Hills still has one ECC conference match remaining against Little Miami. The Lady Eagles enter that final match with just one conference loss and are poised to capture the ECC championship—a first in program history.

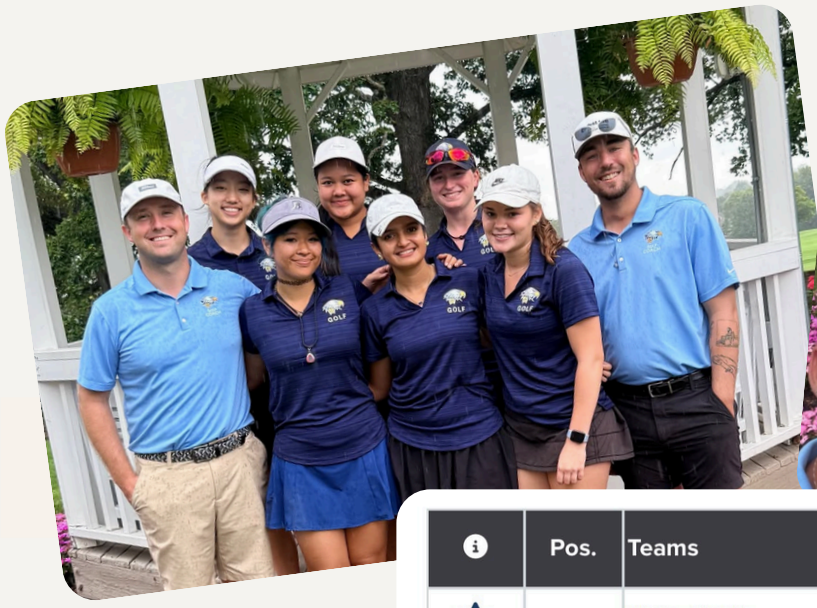
A conference championship would be the perfect culmination to a regular season defined by consistency, competitive excellence and a team that has continued to raise the standard for Walnut Hills girls golf.

Regardless of what happens in that final conference match, the accomplishments of this team have already made their mark. The Lady Eagles have won both ECC tournaments, posted a 9-2 overall record, secured significant wins against some of the area's top programs and positioned themselves for a historic postseason run.

One match remains. One historic opportunity awaits.

The OHSAA postseason begins Tuesday, September 15, giving the Lady Eagles another opportunity to add to what has already been a historic season for Walnut Hills girls golf.

Go Eagles!





	Pos.	Teams	Total To Par	Thru
☆	1	Walnut Hills	+24	F
☆	2	Anderson	+42	F
☆	T3	Lebanon	+54	F
☆	T3	Little Miami	+54	F
☆	5	Milford	+86	F
☆	6	Kings	+98	F

Five Sports. Five Eagles. One Week of Recognition.

Walnut Hills Athletics is making its mark across Cincinnati.

On September 4, **Gretchen Pearson** was named Athlete of the Week for the week of Aug 31. Continuing a trend of excellence, five Walnut Hills student-athletes representing five different varsity sports were recognized as nominees for the Cincinnati Enquirer's Athlete of the Week.

The Eagles represented on the ballot included:

Owen Donlin — Boys Cross Country
Joshua Thornton — Football
Ash Kertpet — Girls Golf
Elle Speelman — Girls Soccer
Hope Vernon — Volleyball

The recognition is a reflection of the depth of talent and dedication across Walnut Hills Athletics. From the cross country course to the football field, golf course, soccer pitch and volleyball court, Eagles are competing at a high level and earning recognition throughout the Cincinnati community.

And the recognition didn't stop there. Earlier in the week, Walnut Hills freshman Gretchen Pearson was named the Cincinnati Enquirer Athlete of the Week, following an outstanding performance in goal for the girls soccer team against St. Ursula.

The accomplishments are a reminder that athletic excellence at Walnut Hills isn't limited to one team or one season. It's happening across the department.

Different sports. Different athletes. Different coaches. Different paths to success.
Same Eagle standard. This is what a department-wide culture of excellence looks like.

ECC ATHLETE OF THE WEEK

Ceclia Gates, Field Hockey

Cecelia anchored the defense this week. Her three defensive clears helped to keep the ball out of the circle during a tough game against MND.

Hope Vernon, Volleyball

Hope is the engine of the Walnut Hills volleyball team, firing on all cylinders to power the Lady Eagles to a 3-0 record this week. She ranks near the top of the leaderboard in kills, aces, digs, and blocks. Hope is also receiving at a very high clip, and providing a steadying presence on the court.

LAST WEEK in the Nuthouse

VARSITY



Girls Soccer opened the week with an impressive 8–0 victory over Winton Woods on September 8.



Boys Soccer closed out their week with an impressive 9-0 victory over Winton Woods on September 10.



A travel win and PROGRAM SWEEP for HS Field Hockey who traveled to Kettering Fairmont on September 10.



Joshua Scharff named the September CPS Scholar-Athlete of the Month

Stay Connected with the ECC!

Want to stay up to date with everything happening across the Eastern Cincinnati Conference? Visit the ECC website often! The site is updated daily with the latest news stories, statistics, schedules, and more.

Be sure to click on the Athletes of the Week tab to see which student-athletes coaches have selected as the week's top performers. You can also celebrate our ECC Academic Award recipients, State Champions, and former ECC athletes competing at the collegiate level.

Visit eccsports.com today!

Stay in the Know with Walnut Athetics!

Families, make sure you're following Walnut Hills Athletics on social media! Stay connected with the latest scores, schedules, game-day updates, highlights, athlete spotlights, celebrations, and behind-the-scenes moments from the Nuthouse.

Follow us at @WalnutAthletics on all platforms

Strengthen the Mental Game!

At Walnut Hills Athletics, we encourage families to explore Performance Psychology as another resource to help student-athletes thrive—both in competition and in life.

Performance Psychology offers mental skills training, individual evaluations, therapy, and team and coaching development with services customized to each athlete's needs. Student-athletes can develop tools to build confidence, manage pressure, improve focus, navigate setbacks, and perform at their best.

Learn more and explore available resources: Performance Psychology



WHHS All Sports Passes

All Sports Passes MUST be purchased online and are good for use at all WHHS regular season home events (passes are NOT valid for OHSAA post-season events or contests)

Golden Eagle Pass

four adult passes good for ALL regular season games/events, $500

Eagle Pass

two adult passes good for ALL regular season games/events, $300

Blue Pass

one adult pass good for ALL regular season games/events, $150

Nuthouse Pass

one student pass good for ALL regular season games/events, $85

Eagles Seasonal Pass

one adult pass good for ALL regular season games/events for select season, $100

Don't want to commit to a pass? No worries! Single tickets are available too. Single game tickets can be purchased online one (1) week prior to the sporting event, or at the gate via cash or card.

Ticket Prices

Football:
Varsity: $10 adults $9 students/seniors
JV/F: $5 adults/students/seniors
JH: $5 adults $2 students/senior

All Other Sports:
JV/Varsity: $8 adults/ $5 students/seniors
JVB only: $7 adults $5 students/seniors
JH: $5 adults $2 students/seniors

GET YOUR PASSES AND TICKETS HERE!

All spectators MUST have a valid ticket, WHHS All Sport Pass or ECC Pass for event entry. NO OTHER PASSES WILL BE ACCEPTED

UPCOMING EAGLE EVENTS

Schedules are subject to change.

Sept 14
JH Tennis @ Kings · 4:00 PM
JH Volleyball v Kings · 4:30/5:30 PM
JH Soccer @ Princeton · 4:30/5:30 PM
JVB Soccer v CUP ɣo 6:00/7:15 PM

Sept 15
V Girls Golf @ OHSAA Sectional Tournament · 8:00 AM
V Boys Golf v Little Miami · 3:00 PM
V Tennis v Anderson · 4:00 PM
JV Tennis @ Anderson · 4:00 PM
JH Volleyball @ Loveland · 4:30/5:30 PM
HS Volleyball @ Lebanon · 4:30/5:30/6:30 PM
HS Boys Soccer @ Loveland · 5:00/7:00 PM
HS Water Polo v Milford · 5:00/6:00/7:00/8:00 PM
HS Girls Soccer v Lovealnd · 5:00/7:00 PM
JH Field Hockey @ Indiaan Hill · 5:30 PM

Sept 16
JH Tennis @ Loveland · 4:00 PM
JH Volleyball @ Milford · 4:30/5:30 PM
JH Football v Little Miami · 4:30/5:30 PM
JVB Boys Soccer @ Fairfield · 5:30 PM

Sept 17
V Boys Golf @ ECC Post Season Tournament · 8:00 AM
V Tennis @ Kings· 4:00 PM
JV Tennis v Kings · 4:00 PM
HS Boys Soccer @ Madeira · 5:00/7:00 PM
HS Girls Volleyball v Anderson · 4:30/5:30/6:30 PM
HS Field Hockey v Oakwood · 5:30/7:00 PM

Sept 18
V Tennis @ SUA · 4:00 PM
JV Tennis @ SUA· 4:00 PM
V Football @ Winton Wods · 7:00 PM

Sept 19
HS Boys Water Polo @ Boarder Battle
HS Girls Water Polo @ Ohio Cup
V Tennis @ Coaches Classic · 9:00 AM
HS Girls Soccer v Lakota West · 10:00/12:00 PM
JH Soccer v Summit Country Day · 11:00/12:15 PM
JVB Boys Soccer @ Elder · 3:00 PM
JH Field Hockey @ Kettering Fiarmont · 4:00 PM
HS Cross Country @ Troy Twilight Invitational · 6:50 PM

Eagle fans, for up-to-date schedule and team information please visit walnuthillseaglesathletics.com.

WHHS Parent Association x WHHS Athletics

WHHS Sneaker Ball

Lace Up for Gabe



Saturday, November 7, 2026
Contemporary Arts Center
7:00 PM - 10:00 PM

Ticket Prices:
$75/person
$140/couple
(each ticket includes 1 drink and 1 raffle ticket)

Get Tickets

Proceeds support WHHS Soar Grants & The Gabe Robinson Scholarship Foundation

Future of Reading

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SAVE THE DATE

2027 WALNUT Fest

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 26 | RHINEGEIST BREWERY

Walnut Hills High School

Looking to get involved? The WHHS Association meets on the second Tuesday of every month in the Recital Hall at 7p

Interested in other WHHS Association events?
Check out the full listings HERE